

Parkway Maintenance

The community effort is also a part of the City's overall approach to "fixing broken windows" and reducing other more serious community concerns. Walkways free of overgrown vegetation are extremely important to the disabled. The Federal American with Disabilities Act requires 48 inches of free and passable sidewalk. Overgrown vegetation poses a problem for some wheelchairs and makes mobility difficult. It also offers coverage for certain pests and detracts from the appearance of neighborhood. Overgrowth on the parkways makes safely existing vehicles difficult and forces passengers to exit in the street increasing the risk of being hit by a passing car.



For more information:

City of Los Angeles/ Bureau of Street Services/ Investigation and Enforcement Division at **(213) 847-6000** 1149 S. Broadway #350, Los Angeles,CA 90015



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OWNER'S PARKWAY MAINTENANCE

PROGRAM



SIDEWALK AND PARKWAY'S MAINTENANCE ARE PROPERTY OWNER'S RESPONSIBILITY.

Parkways are city rights-of-ways and contain various buried utilities. In most residential areas the parkway is the land between the curb and sidewalk.

Residents are responsible for mowing and maintaining their parkway. If the home is on a corner lot or backs to another roadway, residents are required to mow the parkway on the side or rear of their home, even if the parkway is behind a fence. The parkway must be kept free of weeds, vines, brush or other growth and debris and to keep the parkway free of obstructions or depressions which might be injurious to the general public.

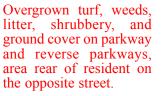
- Request a tree planting permit by calling 3-1-1 or the Bureau of Street Services Service Request Center at (800) 996-2489.
- Bulky Item Collections is free for all residents serviced by the City of Los Angeles. To have your bulky household items such as mattresses couches, And other furniture removed from the curbside, call 3-1-1 or the Bureau of Sanitation at (800) 773-2489, Monday through Friday, between 7:30 a.m.and 4:45 p.m., to make arrangements at least one day before your regular pickup.

COMMON PARKWAY PROBLEMS













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PARKWAYS IN COMPLIANCE



well maintained parkways

The improved appearance of our community benefits all community stake holders by improving the quality of life and safety. We appreciate your cooperation in working with us to achieve our goals by removing all overgrown vegetation from the sidewalk or other right-of-way areas adjacent to your property.

We need your help in this important community improvement program to help improve the natural beauty of the City of Los Angeles.